



**INTER-ACs MEETING 2019**

**8 November 2019**  
**from 14:30 to 18:30**

**Albert Borschette Conference Centre, Room 4D**  
 Rue Froissart, 36 – 1040 Brussels (Métro Schuman)

**Draft Agenda**

*Participants: Advisory Councils, Commission (DG Maritime Affairs and Fisheries), EFCA, observers from the Member States and from the European Parliament*

**Chair:**

14:30 – 14:45	<b>1. OPENING REMARKS – DIRECTOR GENERAL/COMMISSIONER (TBC)</b>
15:15– 16:15	<b>2. FUNCTIONING OF ACs : HOW TO IMPROVE PERFORMANCE?</b>  2.1 <b>Performance review – presentation by LDAC and exchange of views</b>  2.2 <b>Presentation of good practice by Advisory Councils:</b> - application of consensus rule and reflection of minority opinions, - representation of small-scale fisheries associations and other interest groups, - the role of the Chair, - ensuring high quality recommendations and their delivery in due time, - developing the work programme, - communicating on behalf of the Advisory Council  2.3 <b>Coordination on issues common to several ACs.</b>
16:15 – 16:35	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
16:35 – 17:15	<b>3. HOW THE ACs’ ADVICE ARE TAKEN ON BOARD</b>  3.1 How ACs’ advices were taken on board in 2018 3.2 State of play in 2019
17:15 – 18:00	<b>4. ROLE OF THE ACs IN THE SOCIAL DIMENSION OF THE CFP</b>  <b>5. RESEARCH IN FISHERIES</b>  <b>6. STATE OF PLAY ON KEY FILES</b>
18:00 – 18:30	<b>7. AOB</b>

